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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Norberto A. Guzman

Serial No: 10/821,328

Filed: June 17, 2002

For: **MULTI-DIMENSIONAL ELECTROPHORESIS
APPARATUS**

Group Art Unit: 1753

Examiner: Alex Noguerola

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Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a second month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated March 3, 2005, extending the period of response from July 3, 2005 to August 3, 2005.

On June 3, 2005 Applicant filed a petition for a one-month extension of time, enclosing a check for \$60.00 in payment of the fee. We are therefore submitting payment in the amount of \$165.00, the difference between the two-month extension fee of \$225.00 and the one-month fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1853 during the pendency of prosecution of this application.

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